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## GOVERNMENT OF GOA

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### EXTRAORDINARY

### No. 2

#### GOVERNMENT OF GOA

Department of Home

Home—General Division

Office of the District Magistrate,  
South Goa, Margao

#### Order

No. 37/113/2008/Mag/2085

#### Under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1973

Read: No. SP/S-Goa/Reader/784/2014 dated  
21-02-2014 from the Supdt. of Police, South  
Goa, Margao.

Whereas, it is reported by the Superintendent of Police, South Goa District, Margao, that criminals with intention to commit crime in Goa who may stay in hotels with fictitious name, address and telephone numbers and after commission of crime, it becomes very difficult to locate the culprits on the basis of available information recorded in the Registers of Hotels/Guest House/Inns, as on verification it is found to be mostly bogus. This is highly risky as terrorists/anti-social elements can camouflage their identity for their operations in Goa.

And whereas in view of prevailing situation in the country, intelligence inputs regarding terrorist threats to Western Coast of India, it is necessary for issuance of preventive order directing the Owners/Management of all Hotels, Lodging, Boarding,

Private Guest Houses, Paying Guest Accommodation of all religious bodies not to allow any visitors/guest to check-in-without providing any Government identity proof or any other photo identity card issued by the recognized authorities.

Now, therefore, on being satisfied with the report of the Superintendent of Police, South Goa District, Margao, I, R. Mihir Vardhan, IAS District Magistrate, South Goa District, Margao in exercise of the powers vested in me under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure order for strict compliance of the following points by Private Guest Houses, Paying Guest Accommodation, temporary Residential Accommodations of all religious bodies.

1. Prohibiting any visitors/guest to check-in without providing any identity proof such as Elections Card, Driving License, Smart Card, Employment Card, ATM Card or any other photo identity card issued by the recognized authority.
2. The Incharges of such accommodation shall provide such facilities for inspection of the records to the Police authorities or any other authority authorize by the undersigned if so desired by them.
3. They shall also maintained User Register in the Proforma Annexed to this order.
4. Any suspicious movement/activities noticed from the users shall forthwith be brought to the notice of the nearest Police Station.

And Whereas, the circumstances do not permit serving of the notice in due time individually, the

order is passed ex parte. It shall be published for information of public through Press and also by affixing copies on the Notice Boards of all Sub-Divisional Magistrates, Mamlatdars and Police Stations.

Any person contravening this order shall be punishable under Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.

All the Police Officers of the rank of Police Inspector and above are hereby authorized to file F. I. R. on behalf of State, if any persons are found contravening above order. This order shall come into force with effect from 03-03-2014 and shall remain in operation for a period of 60 days (both days inclusive) unless withdrawn earlier.

Given under my hand and seal of this office, on 3rd day of March, 2014.

*R. Mihir Vardhan, IAS*  
District Magistrate,  
South Goa District, Margao.

#### Order

No. 38/10/2006/MAG/Cyber Cafe/2086

#### **Under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1973**

Read: No. SP/S-Goa/Reader/789/2014 dated 21-02-2014 from the Supdt. of Police, South Goa, Margao.

Whereas, the Superintendent of Police, South Goa District, Margao, vide letter dated 10-10-2013 has reported that in view of prevailing situation in the country and intelligence inputs regarding terrorist threats to Western Coasts of India, it is necessary to impose restrictions on the commercial places/shops which are popularly known as Cyber Cafes to use the Internet facilities in such places including E-mail by a large number of people who visit them.

And Whereas, it has come to notice that certain anti-social elements/terrorists are using these facilities to mislead the security investigating agencies, create panic in the public, endanger the security of VVIPs and vital installations and help in the terrorist activities, thereby, directly affecting the security of the State.

And Whereas, the non maintenance of the Users Register by the Cyber Cafes and other such

establishments to register the details of the service users by means of photo identity card (like Driving license, Passport, Election Card, Student Identity Card etc.) such as name, date, time and usage of period, it becomes very difficult to trace them in case they commit any offence and are absconding.

And Whereas, it is necessary to take speedy measures in this behalf to prevent danger to human life or safety, to thwart/prevent terrorist activities, which may affect the security of the State and create disturbance of public order and tranquility.

Now Therefore, on being satisfied with the report of the Superintendent of Police, South Goa District, Margao, I, R. Mihir Vardhan, IAS, District Magistrate, South Goa District, Margao in exercise of the powers vested in me under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 do hereby order that the Cyber Cafes running in the District and other such Establishments shall strictly comply with the following points:—

i) Prohibit the use of Cyber Cafe by unknown person and whose identity has not been established by the owner of the Cafe.

ii) Maintain register for identity to the visitor/user.

iii) Make an entry in the handwriting of the visitor/user mentioning name, address, telephone number and identity proof. The visitor/user shall also sign the register kept for this purpose.

iv) The identity of the visitor/user shall be established through Government identity card only like Voter Card, Driving License, Smart Card, Passport etc.

v) Activity server log should be preserved in main server and its record should be preserved for at least six months.

vi) If any activity of the visitor is of suspicious nature, the owner of Cyber Cafe will immediately inform the Police Station.

vii) Records be maintained about the specific computer used by the person.

viii) CCTV cameras should be installed in Cyber Cafe and at entry point so as to capture the face cut of every person entering Cyber Cafe. The CCTV footage should be kept for at least 30 days and be made available to Police on demand.

And Whereas, the circumstances do not permit serving of the notice individually in due time to the

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District Magistrate,  
South Goa District, Margao.

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